

# Linear-Scaling Quantum Chemistry:

## Coupled Cluster

## Divide-Expand-Consolidate (DEC)

## Scheme

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# Motivation

## Support, Explain and Guide the Experiment

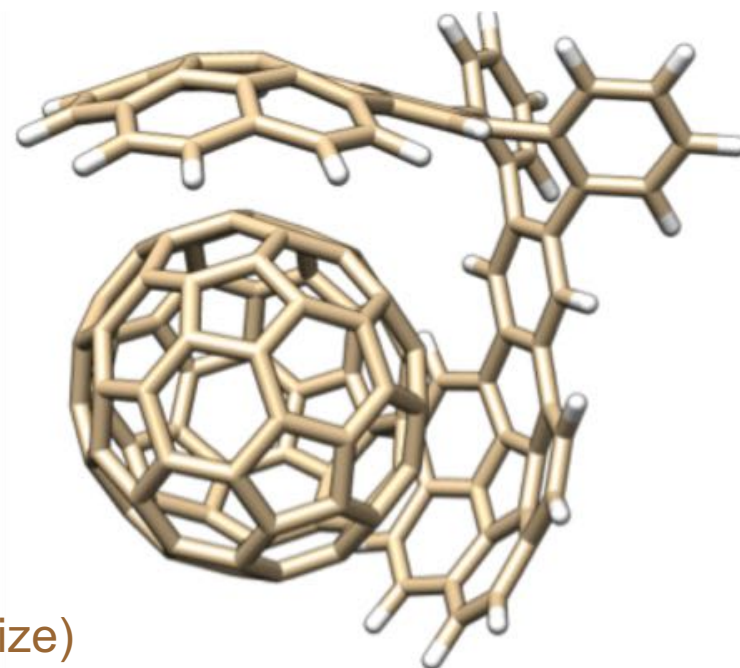
- a) DFT is a “working horse” in ab initio methods
- b) Coupled cluster theory is the method of choice
- c) Hierarchies of coupled models with improved accuracy

MP2 : Second order Møller Plesset theory ,  $N^5$  scaling

CCSD : Coupled cluster singles and doubles model,  $N^6$  scaling

CCSD(T) : CCSD with perturbative triples corrections ,  $N^7$  scaling

(N denote system size)

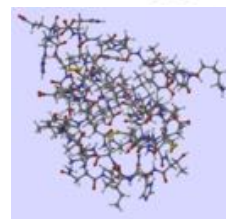
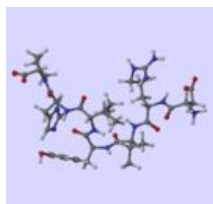
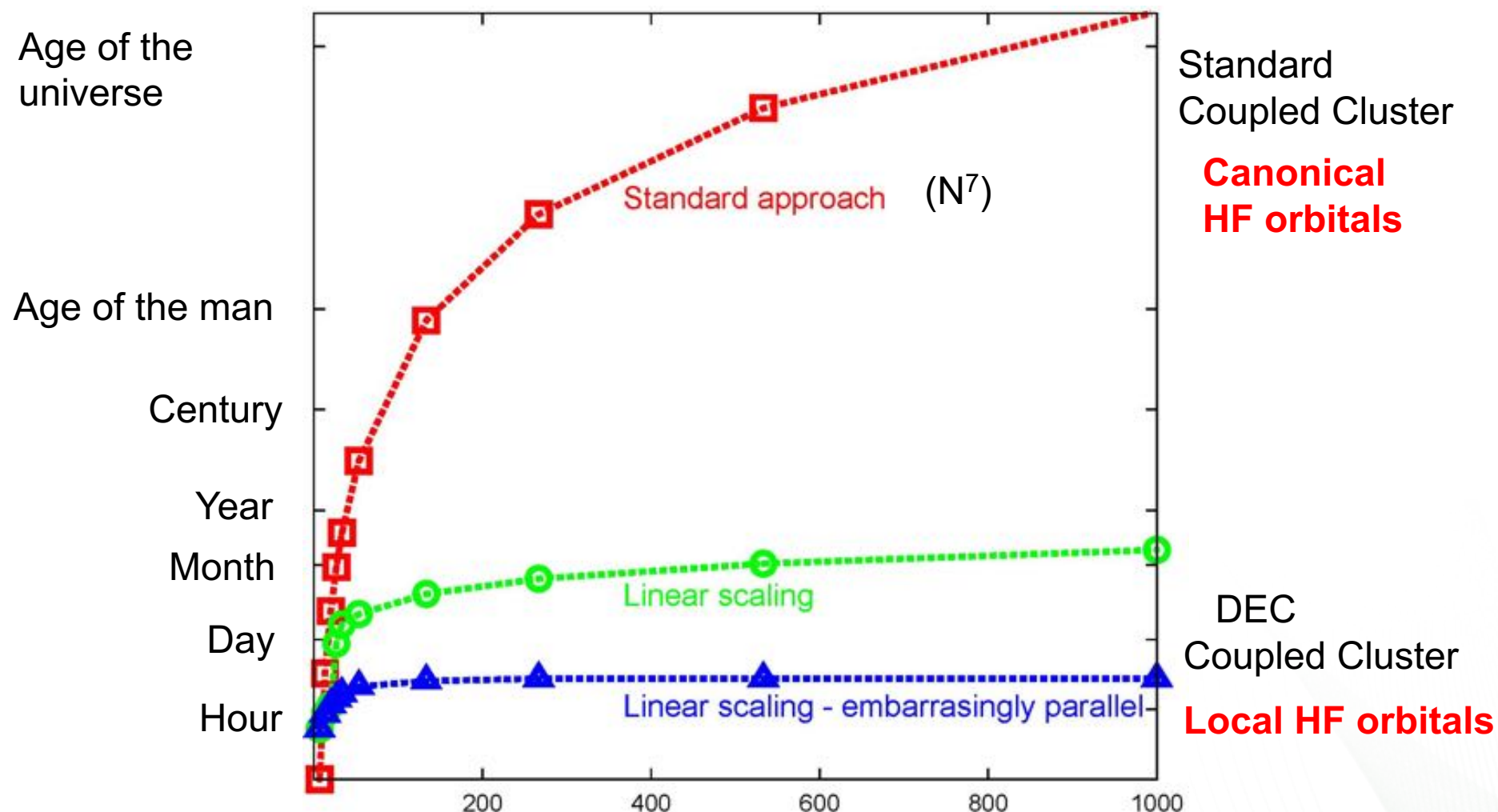


***CCSD(T) is the gold standard of quantum chemistry***

Many molecular properties are described to experimental accuracy or better e.g. equilibrium geometries and reaction enthalpies

***Problem: The scaling in standard implementations***

# Scaling in Coupled Cluster theory CCSD(T)

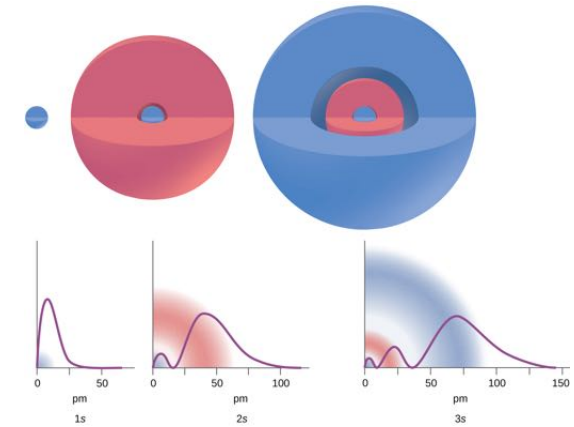


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# Coupled cluster wave function calculation

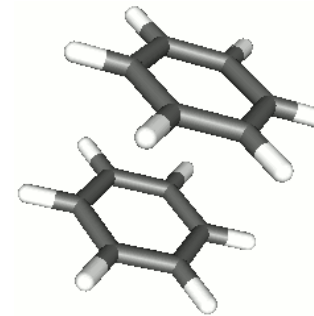
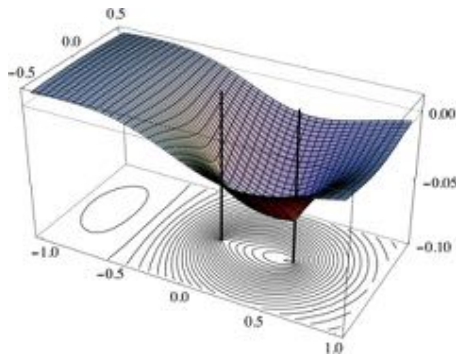
*Hartree-Fock calculation determines the reference state*

- Electrons move in an averaged field of the others
- Long range potential described to high accuracy
- **Give local orbitals for both occupied and virtual space**



*Coupled cluster calculation describes local electron correlation effects*

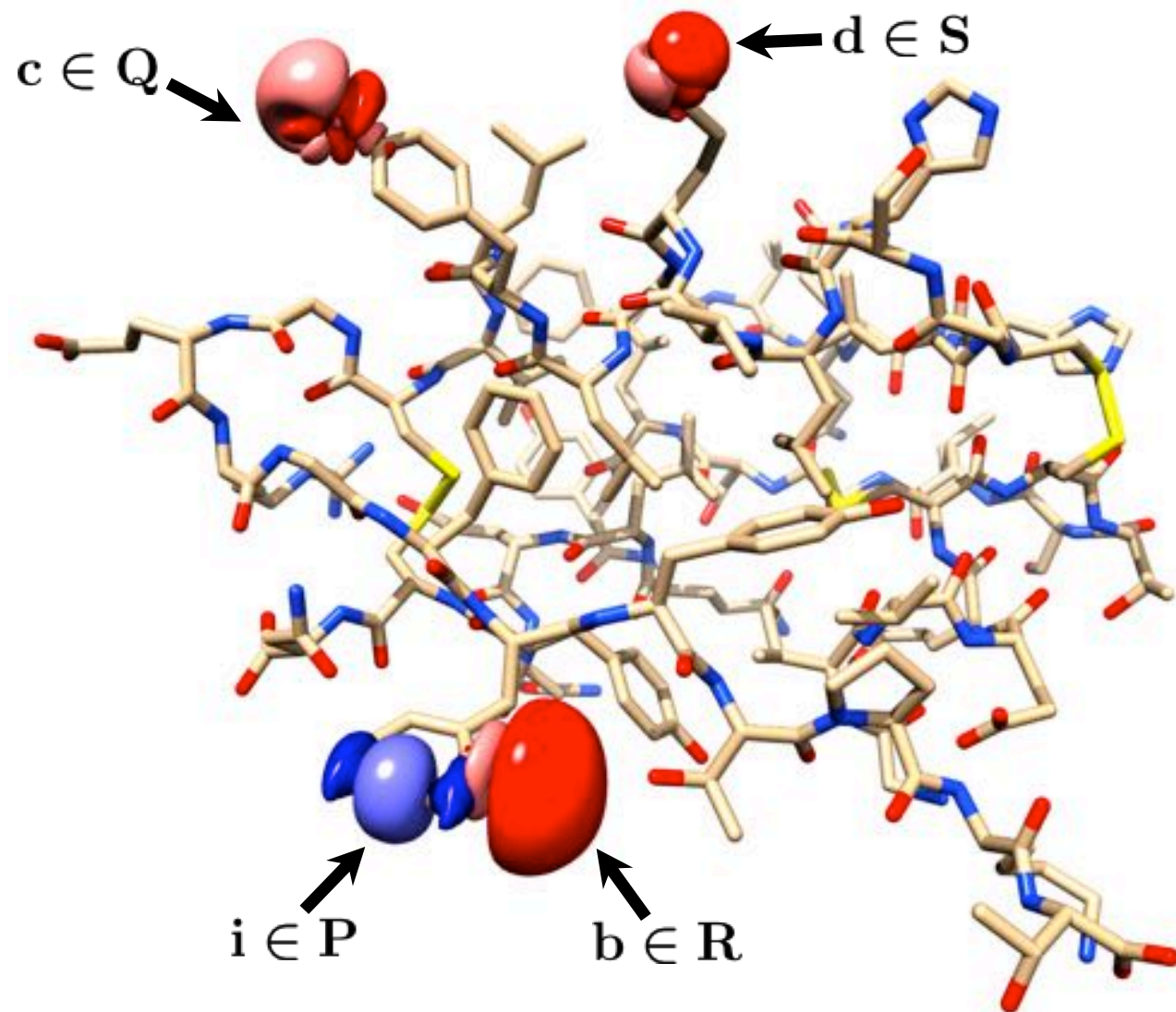
- Coulomb hole, Short range
- Dispersion forces,  $R^{-6}$



Local phenomena described in **local basis** give linear scaling



# Determine local Hartree-Fock orbitals



Occupied orbitals:  
 $i, j, k, l$

Virtual orbitals:  
 $a, b, c, d$

Atomic sites:  
 $P, Q, R, S$

***Assign orbitals  
to atomic sites***

INSULIN MOLECULE (HYDROGENS OMITTED)

# The Divide-Expand-Consolidate DEC coupled cluster (CC) method

## Method

- **Local occupied** and **virtual** HF orbitals must be determined
- Assign **local occupied** and **virtual** HF orbitals to atomic sites,  $P, Q, \dots$
- Partition correlation energy into atomic fragment  $E_P$  and pair  $\Delta E_{PQ}$  energies
- Evaluate  $E_P$  and  $\Delta E_{PQ}$  from small orbital fragment spaces adjusted to give the energies to a predefined fragment optimization threshold (FOT)

## Features

- Adjustable orbital spaces give error control for energies and amplitudes
- Black box, linear scaling, and embarrassingly parallel

# Precision of Coupled Cluster calculation

## *Standard Coupled Cluster*

- Residual norm ( **$R$** ) of amplitude equation

## *DEC Coupled Cluster* ( new strategy which exploit locality efficiently)

- Fragment optimization threshold ( **$FOT$** ) for atomic fragment energies

## *Standard and DEC Coupled Cluster on par with respect to precision*

- Single parameter (  **$R$**  or  **$FOT$** ) define the precision of energy, density, ...

# Correlation energy MP2 and CCSD

$$E_{corr} = \sum_{ijab} (t_{ij}^{ab} + t_i^a t_j^b) (2g_{iajb} - g_{ibja}) \quad \longrightarrow \quad E_{corr} = \sum_P E_P + \sum_{P>Q} \Delta E_{PQ}$$

Quadratic scaling

Coulomb hole    Dispersion energy

## DEC Strategy

*Assign local orbitals to atomic sites P, Q, ..*

*Replace summation over two occupied i, j (virtual a, b) orbitals*

*with summations over sites P and pair sites P, Q and summations over orbitals belonging to these sites*

Occupied atomic fragment energy

$$E_P = \sum_{\substack{ij \in P \\ ab}} (t_{ij}^{ab} + t_i^a t_j^b) (2g_{iajb} - g_{ibja})$$

Occupied pair interaction energy

$$\Delta E_{PQ} = \sum_{\substack{i \in P, j \in Q \\ ab}} (t_{ij}^{ab} + t_i^a t_j^b) (2g_{iajb} - g_{ibja}) + \quad P \leftrightarrow Q \text{ term}$$

No approximations have so far been made, only a reorganization



# Atomic fragment energy $E_P$

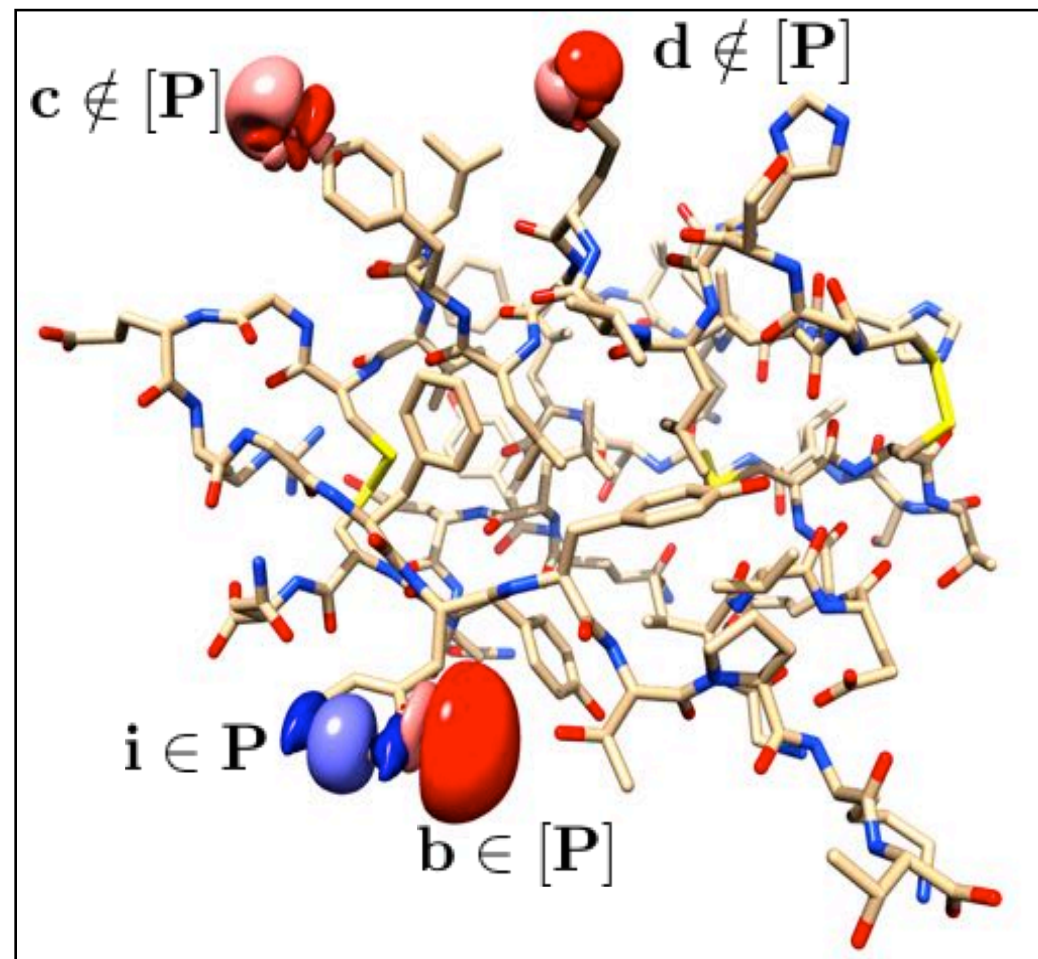
$$E_P = \sum_{ij \in P} \sum_{ab \in [P]} \left( t_{ij}^{ab} + t_i^a t_j^b \right) \left( 2g_{iajb} - g_{ibja} \right)$$

Determine  $[P]$  in a black box manner such that errors in  $E_P$  is smaller than **Fragment Optimization Threshold (FOT)**

## CCSD and MP2

Charge distributions in integrals  
determine distance decay from site  $P$

$$g_{iajb} \quad ; \quad i, j \in P \quad , \quad a, b \in [P]$$



# Occupied space partitioning of $E_{corr}$

Occupied atomic fragment energy

$$E_P = \sum_{\substack{i \in P, j \in P \\ ab \in [P]}} \left( t_{ij}^{ab} + t_i^a t_j^b \right) \left( 2g_{iajb} - g_{ibja} \right)$$

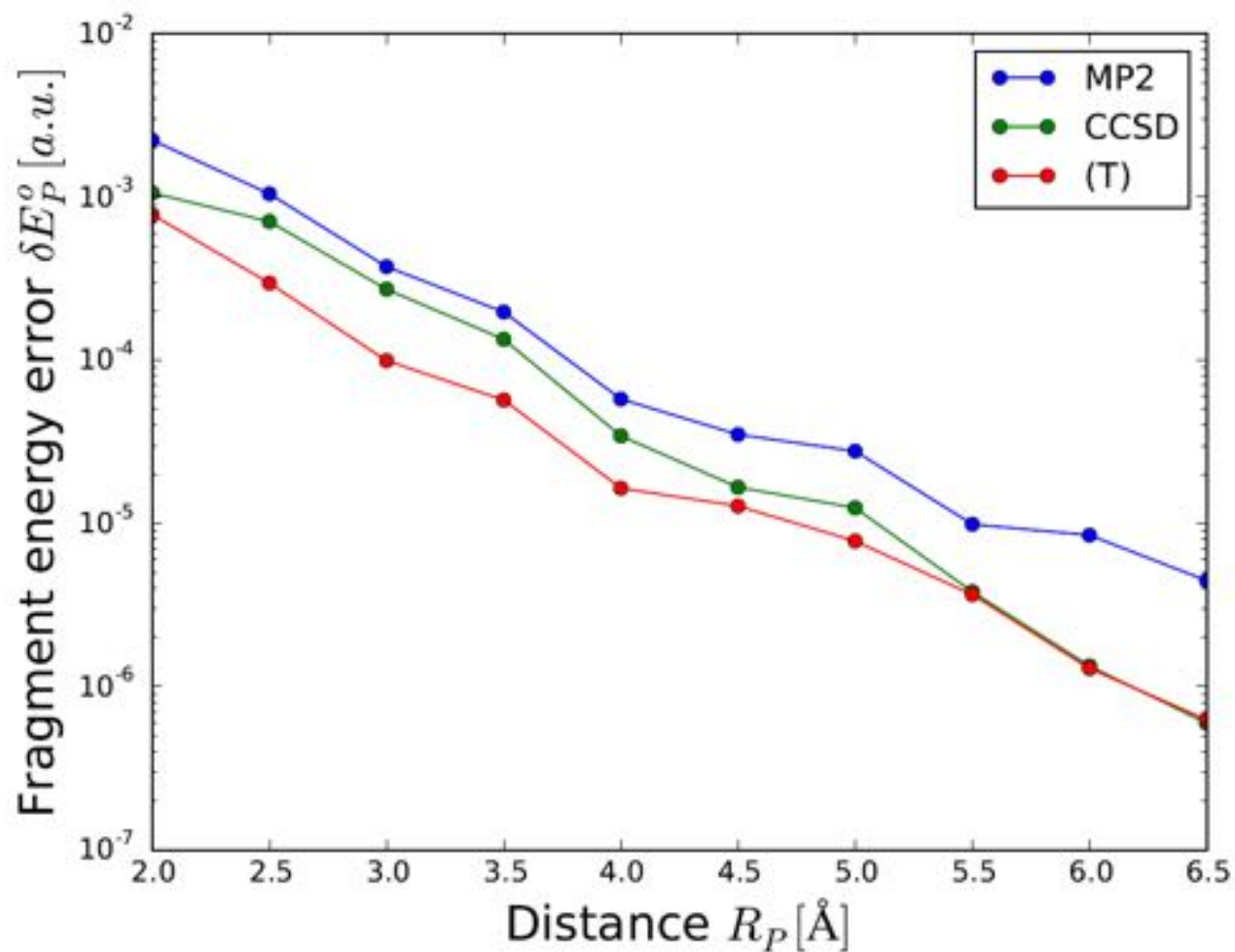
(atomic fragment orbital space)

Occupied atomic pair interaction energy

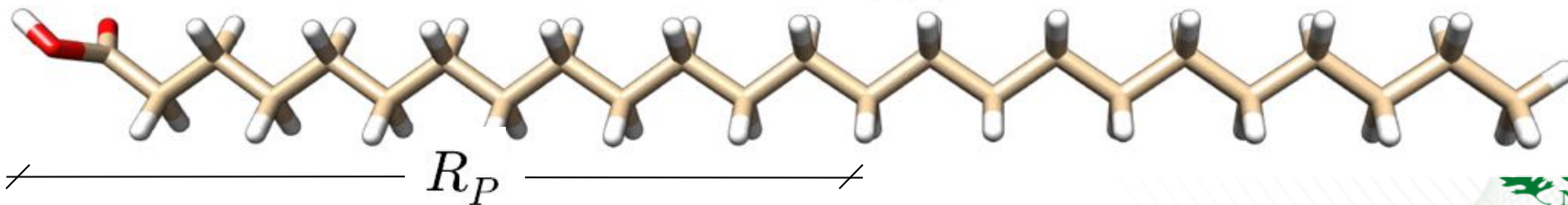
$$\Delta E_{PQ} = \sum_{\substack{i \in P, j \in Q \\ ab \in [P] \cup [Q]}} \left( t_{ij}^{ab} + t_i^a t_j^b \right) \left( 2g_{iajb} - g_{ibja} \right) + \quad P \leftrightarrow Q \text{ term}$$

(union of atomic fragment orbital spaces)

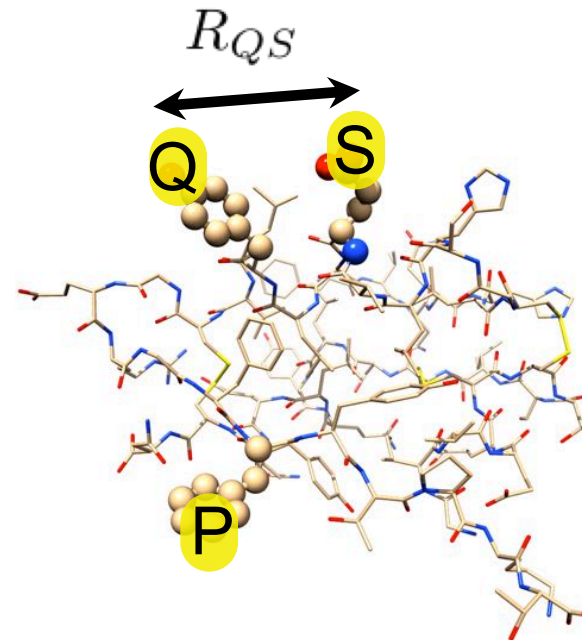
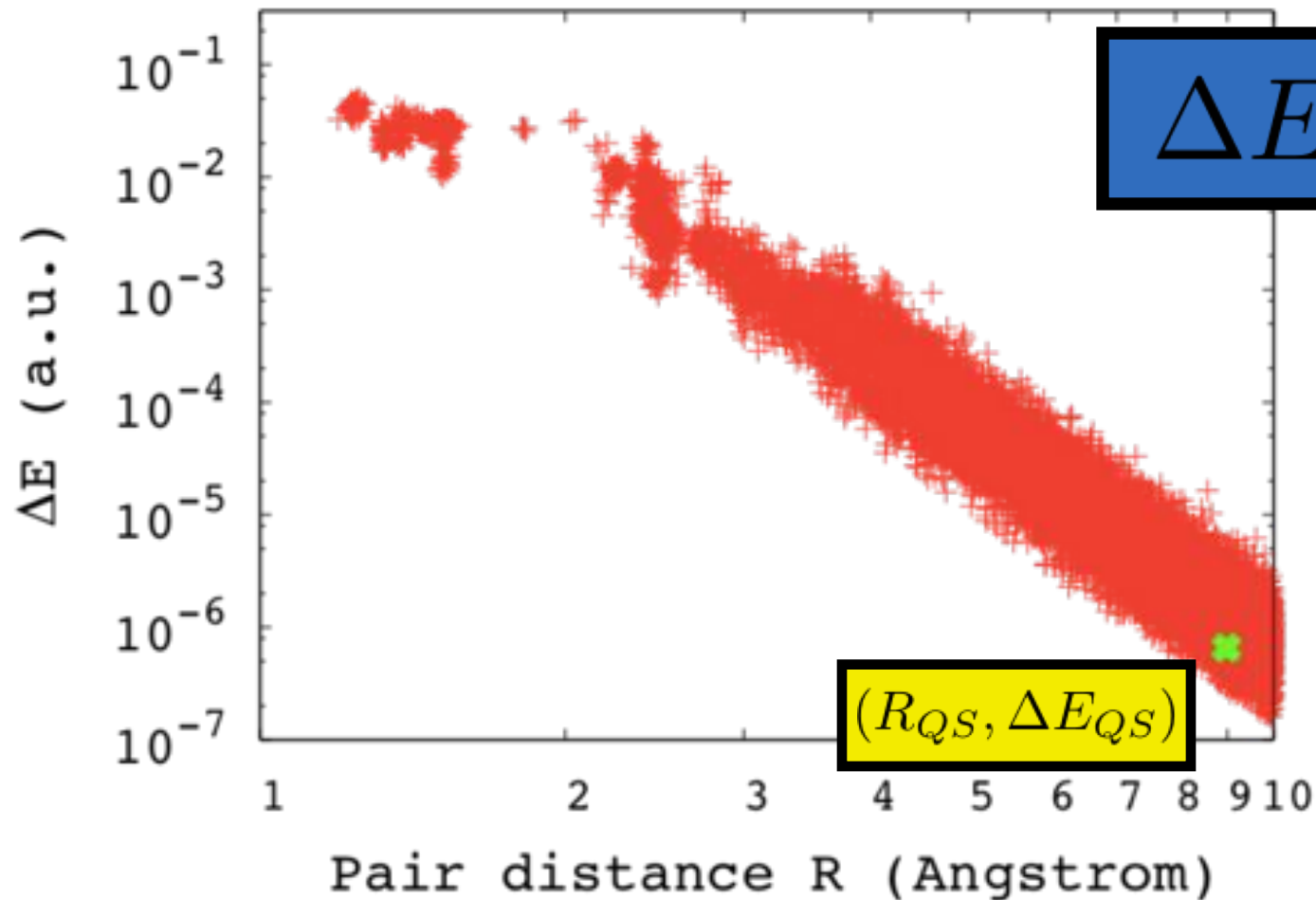
# Distance decay of $E_P$



**$P$**



# Insulin - pair interaction energies $\Delta E_{PQ}$



Pairs separated by more than  $\sim 10$  Å can be neglected without affecting the precision of the calculation

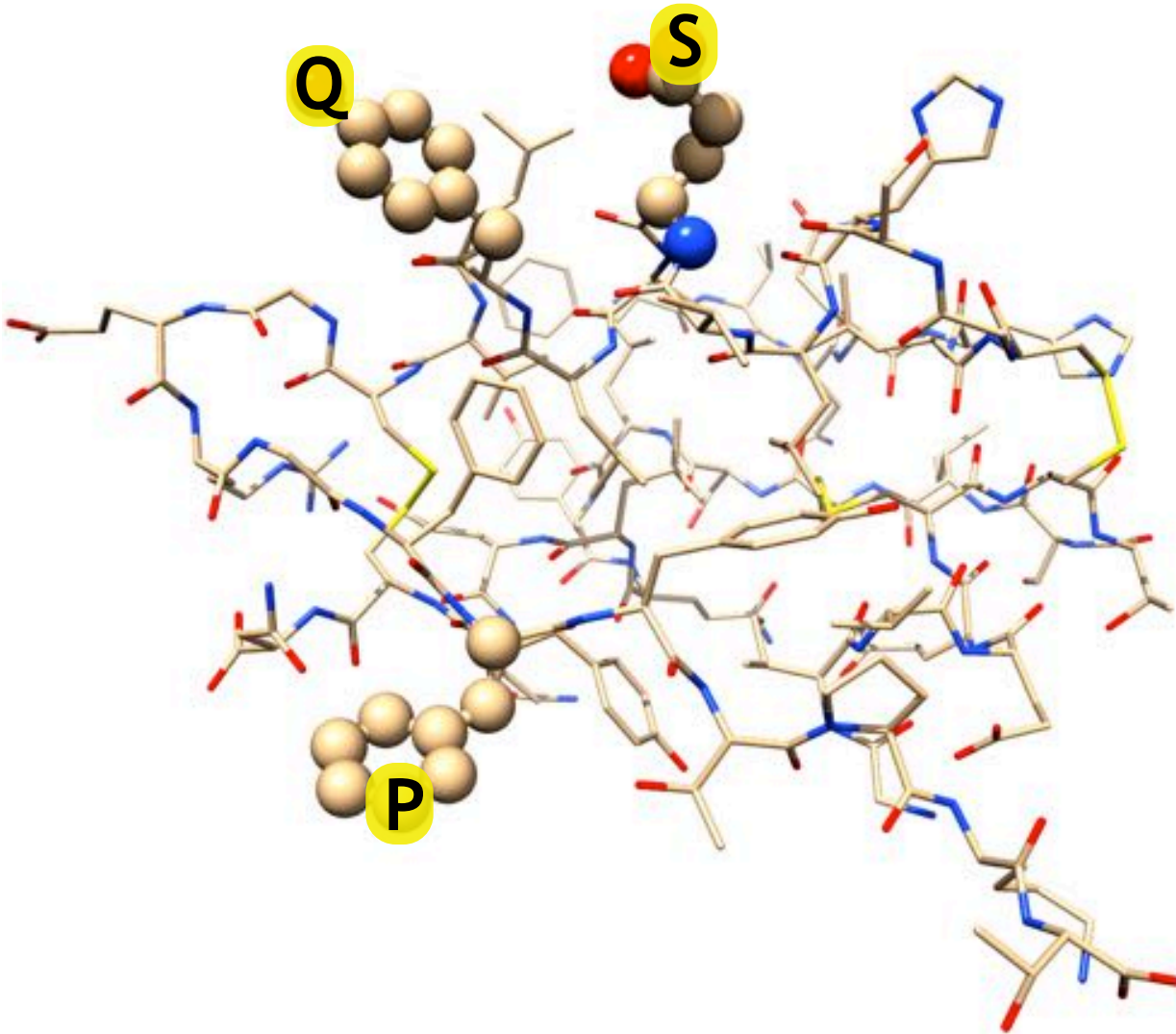
**Linear scaling  
algorithm**



# Insulin - three examples of atomic fragments

$$E_{\text{corr}} = \sum_P E_P + \sum_{P>Q} \Delta E_{PQ}$$

Quadratic scaling

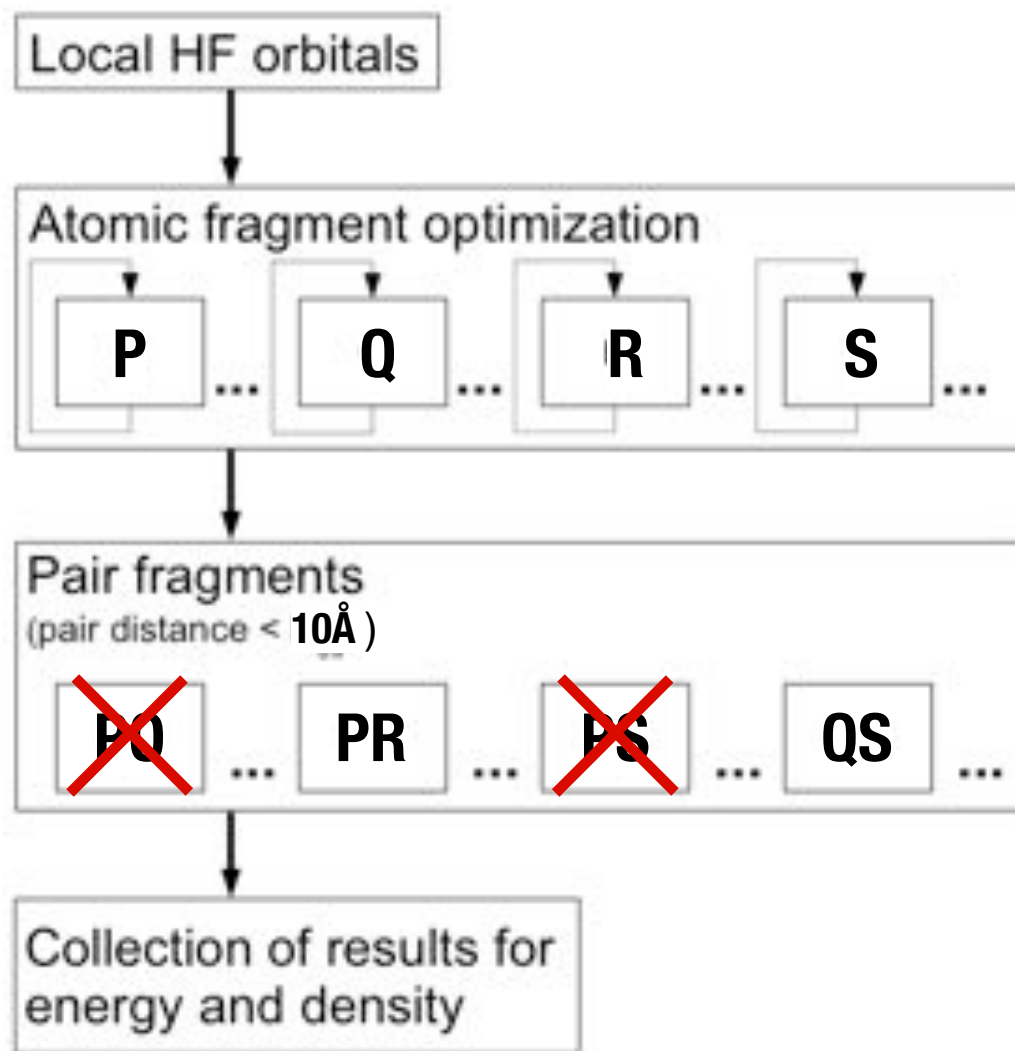


$E_P$  determined  
to F0T precision

$\Delta E_{PQ}$  determined  
to F0T precision

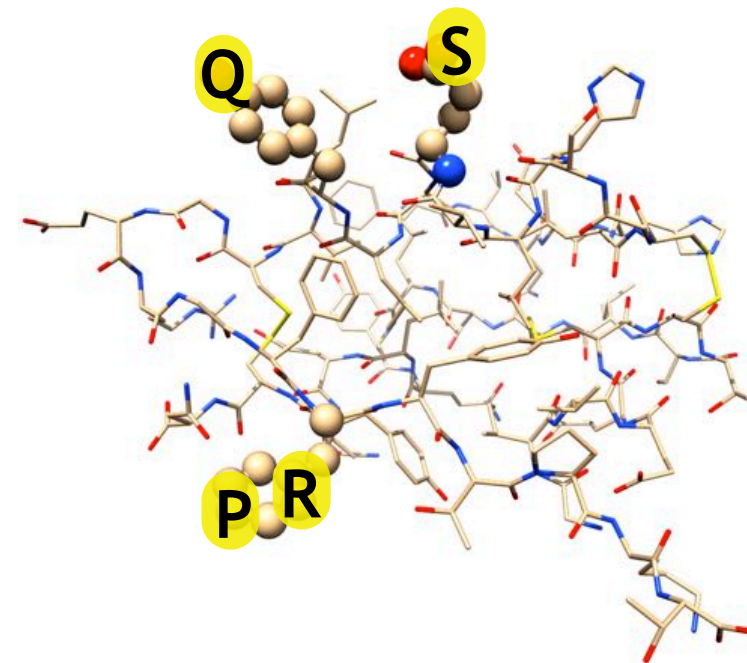
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# Summary of the DEC scheme



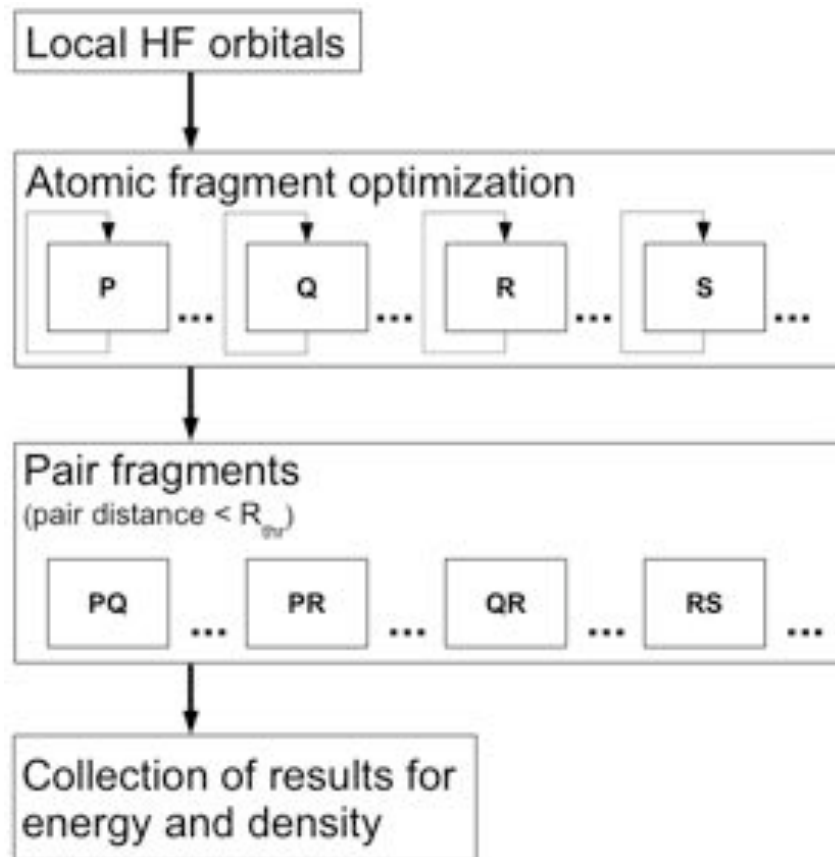
N atomic fragments

**Formally:**  $N(N-1)/2$  pair fragments  
**Use cut-off:**  $\text{const} \cdot N$  pair fragments



DEC is linear scaling and embarrassingly parallel

# Parallelism in DEC calculation



Parallelism at three levels

## ***Coarse grained parallelism***

All fragment calculations  $E_P$  and  $\Delta E_{PQ}$  carried out independently

## ***Medium and fine grained parallelism***

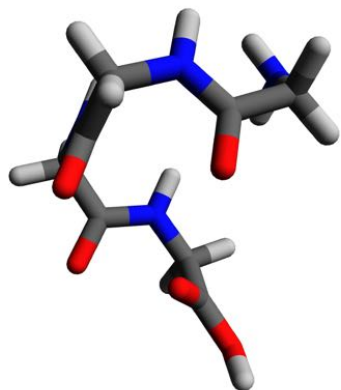
Individual fragment calculations parallelized at two levels  
(MPI and OpenMP)

( as in conventional implementations )

# DEC Error vs. FOT

4 glycine residue in  
 $\alpha$ -helix structure

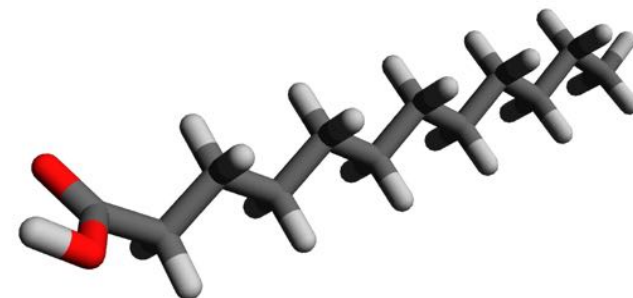
cc-pVDZ



FOT	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-5}$
$\Delta$ MP2	$3.61 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$5.36 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$3.99 \cdot 10^{-4}$
$\Delta$ CCSD	$9.33 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.16 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$-6.03 \cdot 10^{-4}$
$\Delta$ CCSD(T)	$2.06 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.06 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$-2.81 \cdot 10^{-4}$

Dodecanoic acid

cc-pVTZ

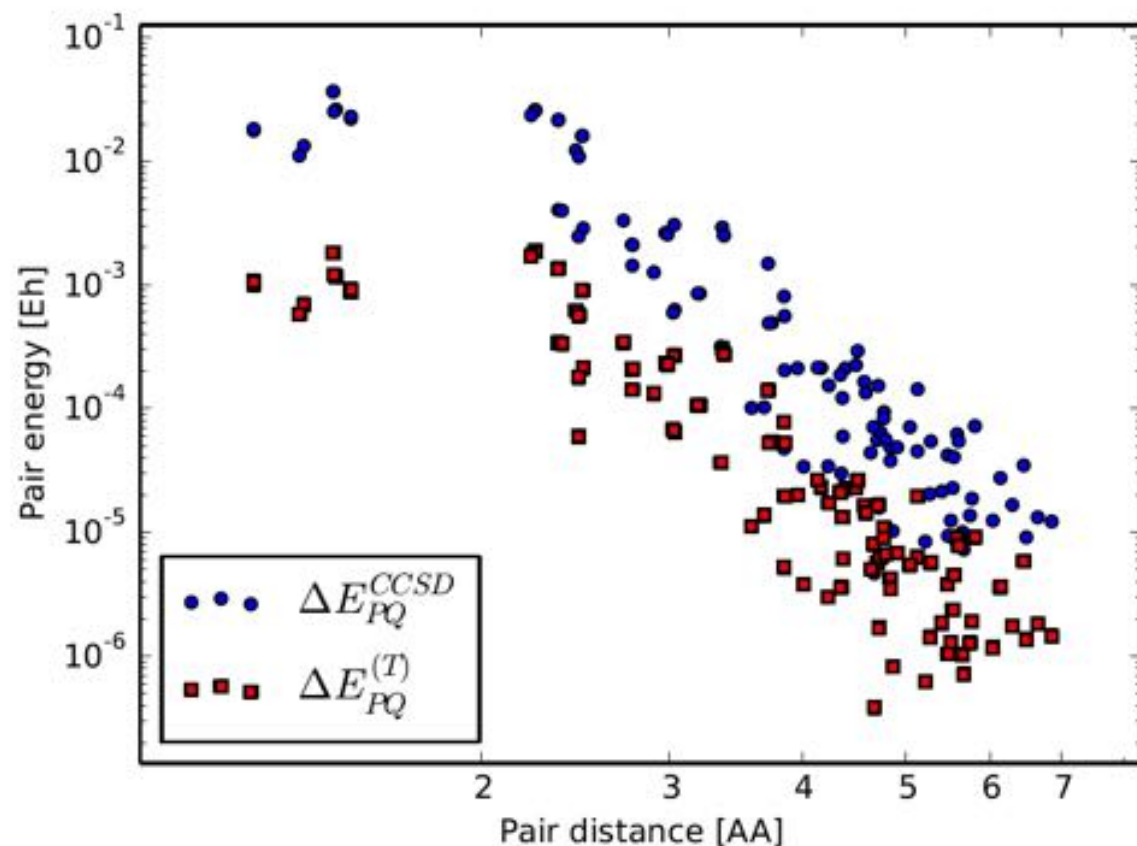
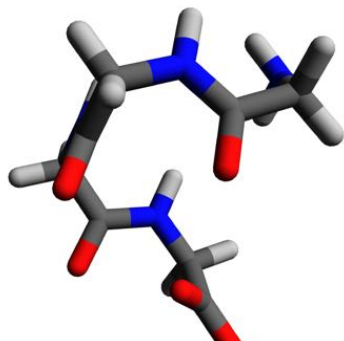


FOT	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-4}$	$10^{-5}$
$\Delta$ MP2	$4.68 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$4.54 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$5.50 \cdot 10^{-4}$
$\Delta$ CCSD	$2.77 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$6.93 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$-1.37 \cdot 10^{-5}$
$\Delta$ CCSD(T)	$3.78 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$2.59 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$3.49 \cdot 10^{-4}$

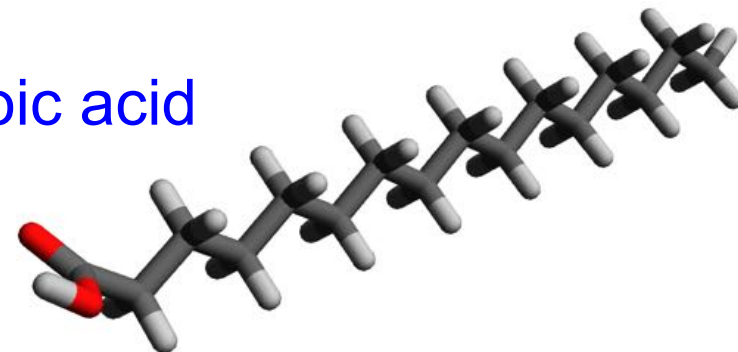


# Pair interaction energies $\Delta E_{PQ}$

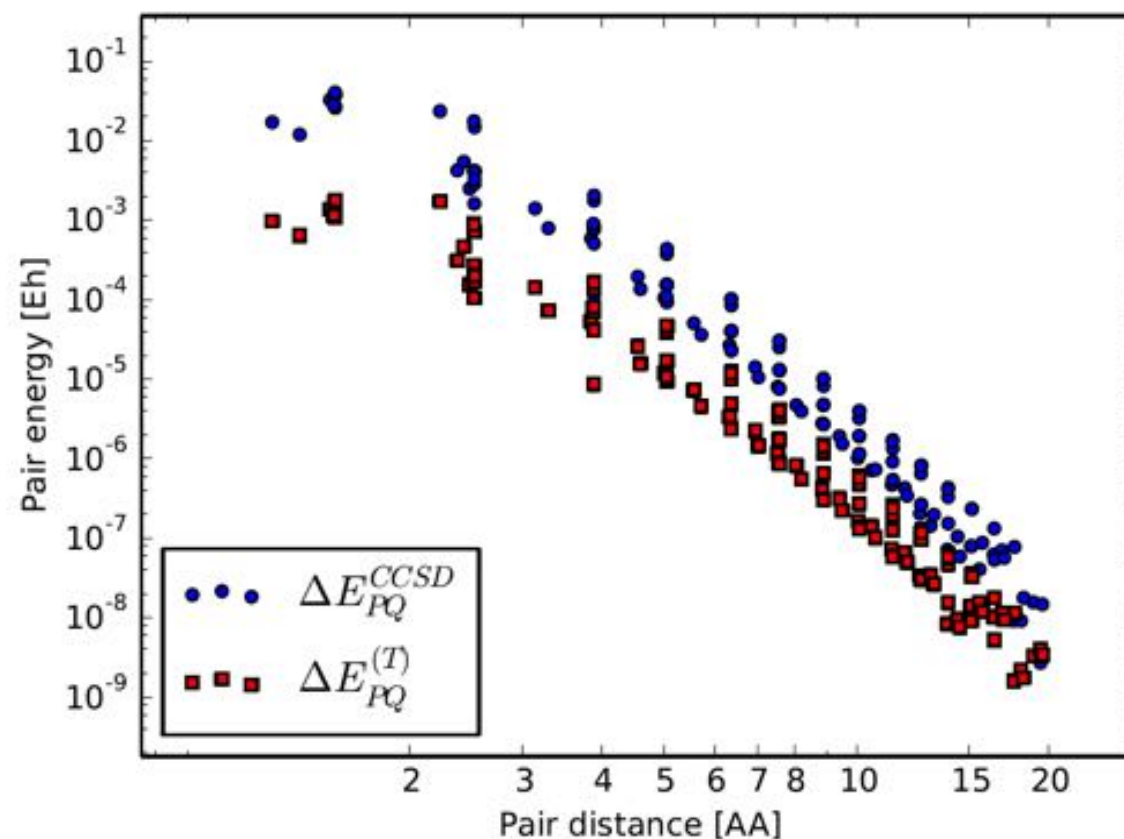
alpha-helix with  
4 glycine  
residues  
cc-pVDZ



Hexadecanoic acid



cc-pVDZ



# DEC Correlation energy(au) vs. FOT

FOT	$10^{-3}$	$10^{-4}$
MP2	-11.41503	-11.59505
CCSD	-12.18642	-12.25120
CCSD(T)	-12.63602	-12.74882



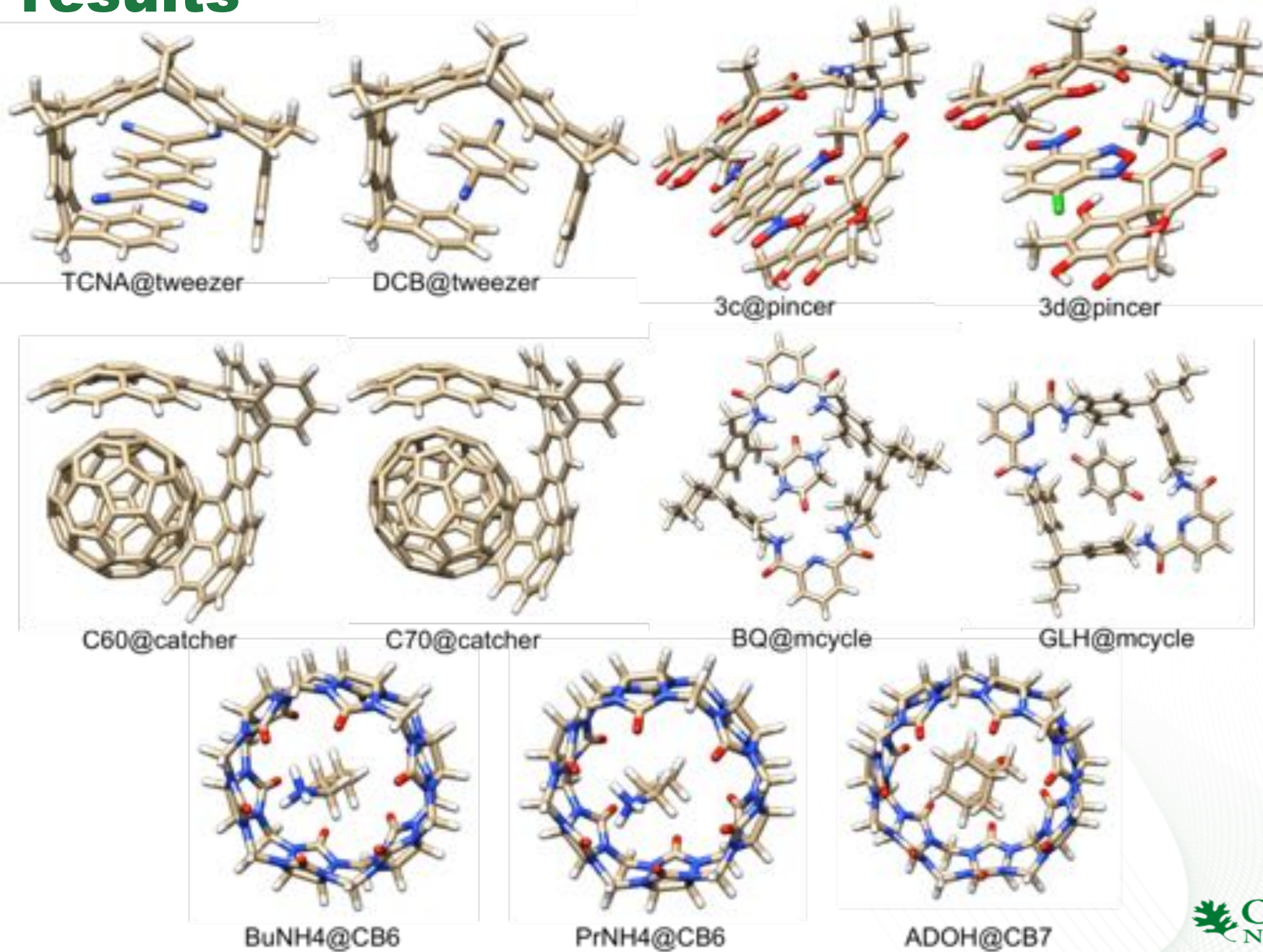
$C_{64}O_2H_{128}$

cc-pVTZ

3772 AO<sup>s</sup>

- $10^{-4}$  DEC-CCSD(T) is possible with current computer facilities for large systems

# Test set results

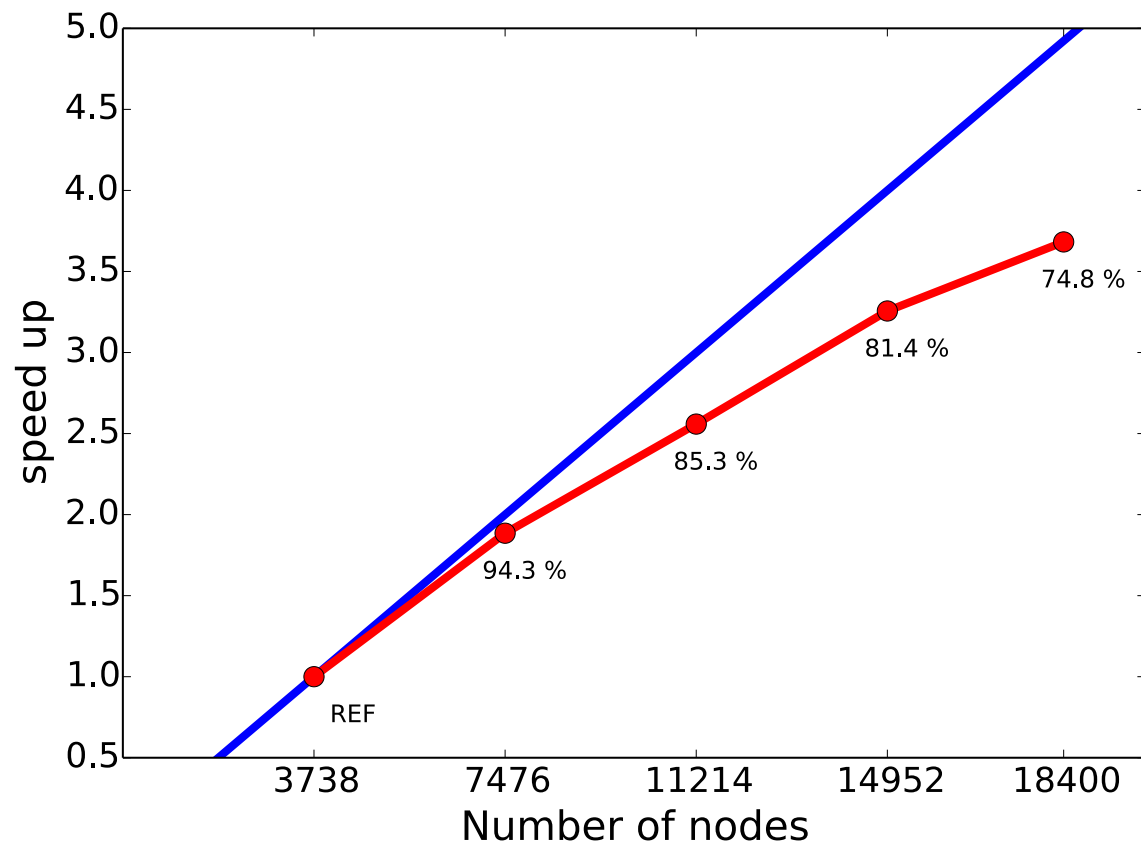
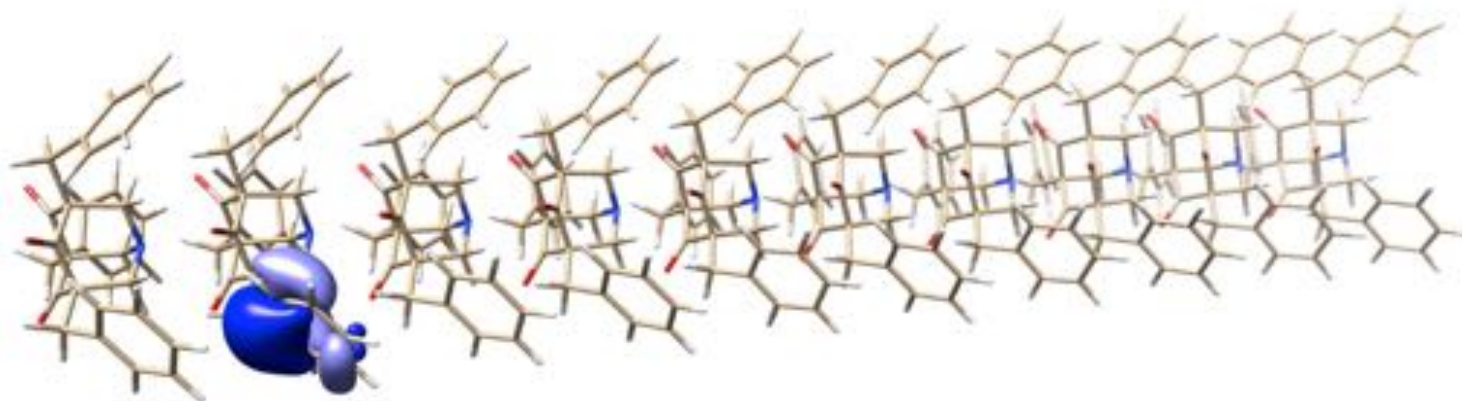




# DEC examples

- Calculate MP2 correlation energy and density using cc-pVDZ basis.
- Nanospresso (system 1): 528 atoms (4278 BF.)
- Nanospresso Doppio (system 2): 1056 atoms (8556 BF.)
- **Parallel (strong) scaling** (ideal: 0.5)  
 $\text{TTS}(11780) / \text{TTS}(5890) = 0.56$  (system 1)  
 $\text{TTS}(11780) / \text{TTS}(5890) = 0.53$  (system 2)

Nanospresso





## Conclusion for DEC

- New strategy for CC energy and properties which explore locality efficiently
- Full system in terms of CC calculations on small fragments of total orbital space
- Linear scaling and massive parallel algorithm
- Full control of errors in energy and cluster amplitudes
- Black box method

# DEC perspective

## MP2

- Energy, density, molecular gradient and geometry optimizer
- F12 energies, Nuclear shifts, ...

## CCSD

- Energy implemented
- Future work, density, molecular gradient, F12 energy ...

## CCSD(T)

- Energy implemented
- Future work, density, molecular gradient, ...

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